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COURTS CONVEY:

Circuit Court—First Monday in February, June and October.
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Wednesday, May 29, 1918.

The war has shut off the supply of sugar formerly received by the allies to the extent of 2,000,000 tons annually. Most of the belligerent countries were exporters before the war now all are importers with the possible exception of Germany, Austria and Russia.

When you think of a shrinkage of two millions of tons of sugar a year it is no wonder you are asked to reduce your usual two teaspoonsful to the cup.

Wool promises to be around 70 cent a pound, possibly higher. At that price there is no animal on the farm that brings larger or quicker profit.

When it is remembered that it takes the wool from four sheep to equip one soldier, it will appear how helpful any person is proving to our beloved country in this trying hour by raising sheep. Besides the equipment for our boys there is a tremendous amount of food also. The nation will have to import 420,000,000 pounds to supply our needs for a year. Let your slogan be: "Raise a Lamb instead of a Pup."

NEPOTISM!!

The appointment of L. Ames Brown, aged 27, intimate friend of Private Secretary Tumulty has awakened some interest. Mr. Brown, who was placed in Class 1 of the draft during his recent service as assistant to George Creel, has since been made a first lieutenant, doubtless for gallant and meritorious public service, and assigned to "intelligence duties solely," in Washington and New York with the proviso that he should "not be assigned to any duty or the command of troops under this appointment."

Another interesting appointment is that of Humphrey Redfield, son of the Secretary of Commerce. He was commissioned as ensign after his graduation from Amherst College, and is now assistant pay clerk, with a desk in the Navy supply bureau.

Still another interesting appointment is that of Josephus Daniels, Jr., son of the secretary of the navy. He has a commission a second lieutenant in the quartermaster's department of the marine corps reserves. His duties do not take him to sea.

Another interesting appointment is that of David Houston, Jr. son of the secretary of Agriculture. He has been commissioned as an ensign in the Navy and assigned to duty on a patrol vessel on the coast of New England.

Other interesting appointments are those of two sons of Chas. R. Crane, Chicago, a large contributor to the Democratic campaign fund of 1916, both hold government positions in the city of Washington. A nephew of Chas. R. Crane II, is a second lieutenant in the ordnance procurement department division, assigned to Chicago.

Another interesting appointment is that of W. J. Carby, son-in-law of the former Governor of Illinois, in the contract section of the ordnance division.

Another interesting appointment is that of Gordon Auchincloss son-in-law of Colonel E. M. House, in the office of Counsellor Folk of the state department.

There are many such interesting appointments among the 62,000 peaceful soldiers holding warlike commissions.

Thus is the war not only making things safe for democracy but for the scions of Democracy.—Ohio Republican.

In Canada the supply of wheat flour has been limited in private families to an amount sufficient to last 15 to 30 days.

Coin or currency cannot be sent by mail to foreign countries. Foreign coins and currency may be sent to their home country by mail.

MIDDLE TENNESSEE FARM NEWS

Prepared by Division of Extension of College of Agriculture of University of Tennessee, Knoxville

If a letter came to you from one of your boys now fighting in France, appealing personally to the town to do a certain thing easily within your power and assuring you the army maybe unable to win unless you do this—if that call came, you'd shut up shop and every man, woman, and child would be working on that job, whatever it might be.

If America fails to produce food, that appeal, literally, will come to every community in the nation. If your county is not sure of its food production, that appeal is applicable right now. To be sure of food production means to have sufficient farm labor supply; and to have a sufficient farm labor supply means that town people must work on farms in the country for a few days at a time, or longer periods if necessary, during the rush seasons of cultivation and harvest.

There is a nation wide farm labor shortage, caused principally by large numbers of farm workers being attracted to industrial centers by high wages. In every county and community the emergency farm labor needs must be supplied locally—by town volunteers, high school boys, by forcing all idlers to go to work, by applying to agriculture the effort used in non-essential work that does not help win the war.

Will you work to help win the war?

NITRATE ON CORN.

Because many did not understand the methods of applying nitrate to corn this season and that experience is fresh in their minds these ideas are presented. When applying nitrate of soda to corn use 75 to 100 pounds to the acre applied along the row when the plants are a few inches high, and when they are not wet from dew or rain. Some growers prefer to use 1/2 of their nitrate of soda at this time and the balance about 10 days later in the same manner. Nitrate of soda gives the best results when used on extremely poor soil which would ordinarily produce 15 to 25 bushels to the acre. Be sure to use phosphate, 150 to 200 pounds to the acre at the time the corn is planted.

LIMBERNECK IN CHICKENS.

Limberneck is found many times when young chickens are allowed free range with the mother hen. The attendant knows how many chickens are placed with the hen when she comes off the nest, but inasmuch as the hen roosts under the crib at night, or perhaps under the kitchen floor, it is not possible to count the young chickens to see if all are present. A couple weak ones fall by the way-side during the days travel of them or the hen, in ranging over a ten acre field. The little chickens that fall by the wayside after a few days develop large quantities of maggots, which on later rounds are consumed by the young chicks. This produces ptomaine poisoning or limberneck.

Remove the cause. Confine the mother hen in a coop, in which the chickens can be given better attention, and if any are not present at night roll call, the attendant can look over the ground for them. If they are merely tired out they can be picked up and placed with the hen during the night. If they have died, they should be burned to prevent disease.

NEW STATE CHAIRMAN.

At the meeting of the Republican State Committee at Nashville last week, J. Will Taylor resigned as chairman and John W. Overall was elected to the vacancy. Mr. Taylor is in the race for congress in the second district against Congressman R. W. Austin, which is the cause of his resignation.

The committee passed a resolution urging the United States Senate to pass the Woman Suffrage amendment without delay.

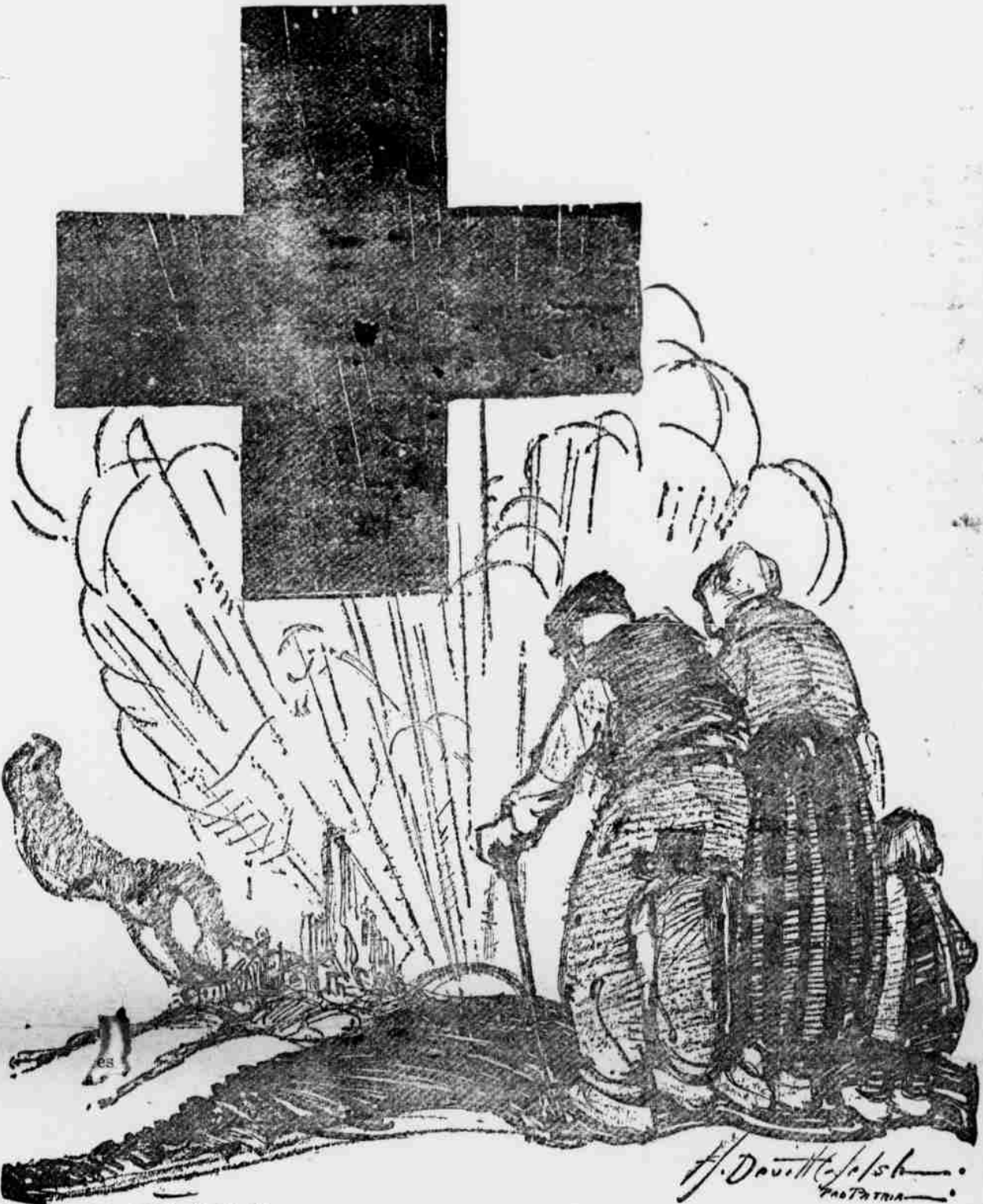
A committee was appointed to wait on H. Clay Evans and R. S. Hopkins and urge them to make the race as republicans for Governor and United States senate respectively.

The Primary Boards selected by the various counties of the state were approved.

Plenty of small single entry ledgers at the Chronicle office; 180 pages only 50 cents.



THE SUN THAT NEVER SETS



Contributed by H. Davitt Welsh.

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MERIDIAN

Joe Hedgecoth, who has been in Buhl, Idaho, for the past few weeks, returned home Saturday.

J. F. Brown spent the week-end with home folks.

Miss Daisy Hedgecoth was shopping in Crab Orchard Saturday.

J. A. Kemmer of Grassy Cove was here Saturday.

Clifford Hedgecoth, of Dorton, was here Monday.

Miss Laura Brown spent the week-end with home folks.

Andy Norris, of Lantana was here last week.

Chester Hedgecoth went to Crossville Saturday.

A number of young people spent an enjoyable time at the home of Mrs. Grace Flynn Saturday evening.

Crock Knox, of Grassy Cove, was here last week on his way to Crossville. W. L. Martin was here Sunday.

Billie Hedgecoth, of Dorton, was here last week.

Mrs. Grace Martin and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wirlick, of Crab Orchard.

Ellen Mae, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flynn has been sick.

Oscar Smith went to Crossville last week. May 21. Dew Drop.

CRAB ORCHARD

Farming is on the drag on account of so much rain.

Rev. W. L. Patton is preaching for the First Baptist Church, at Jefferson City every Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Rose preached at the Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday morning.

The Red Cross here went over the top.

C. E. Keyes was here Sunday in the interest of the Red Cross work.

John Aytes was over from Ozone to the Red Cross meeting.

The Old Harp Singers are planning to have an old time singing about the 3rd Sunday in June. May 27. Swamp Wiloby.

Men Wanted:

Six to ten men wanted to cut Red Oak and Gum at \$1.10 a cord. Pay every Saturday. Work to last all summer. Will furnish house. Two good men should make \$8.00 to \$10.00 a day. Will require contract. Phone or write

J. R. COOPER, MAYLAND, TENNESSEE.

BIGLICK

Brother Cobble preached a very interesting sermon here Sunday.

Frank and Ola Rhea, and Mrs. Tom Randolph were guests of Stella Hale Sunday.

Albert Hall and family are visiting in Coffee County this week.

Virgil Hale and wife were visiting James Brown Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rector, of Crossville were the guests of John Selby, Sunday.

Aunt Zenie Wyatt, of Crossville, is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. John Selby.

Arch Hale and family spent a few days last week with his sisters at Peavine.

Ethel Kerley is spending a few days with her grandmother, at Linaria.

Brother Cobble has his new house about ready to move into. May 28. A Neighbor.

HEBBERTSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hamby, Sunday.

M. L. Mitchell, of Rockwood, was the guest of his father and mother from Monday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hurst visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivory Hamby, Sunday. R. B. Smith was in Rockwood, Wednesday.

Blair Adkins was in Rockwood recently.

Mrs. Will Nelson died at her home near Watson, Tuesday night and was laid to rest in the Antioch cemetery Thursday. She leaves a husband and several children to mourn her loss.

Walter Nelson was called home to attend the funeral of his mother. He arrived Friday.

Jesse Davidson made a business trip to Crab Orchard, Saturday.

J. W. Mitchell is on the sick list. May 25. Maybe.